TOWN OF ARLINGTON



Cemetery Commission

Date: March 13, 2024

Time: 9:04am

Location: Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Chapel

Minutes

Attendance: Commissioners Michele Hassler, Brian Hasbrouk, DPW Director, Mike Rademacher, Cemetery Sup, Jason Jones

- 1. Minutes of January 10, 2024 were approved with correction as February meeting was canceled.
- 2. Deeds Ten (10) were signed.
- 3. Bid for columbarium pathway should be out soon. Michele would like to see done by Memorial Day.
- 4. Landscaping bid was awarded to John's Landscaping.
- 5. Test holes were done where Oak Ave was. Jason thinks we could get about 35 single graves there.
- 6. Discussed the CC section fence. Removal of the fence would allow for about 60 single graves but would create a parking problem.
- 7. Mike will contact engineering about the mapping of graves that still needs to be done in the HH and J field, also map out Oak Ave.
- 8. New monument cleaning and restoration company will be needed for work in both Mt. Pleasant and the Old Burying Ground. Work will be done in preparation of the 250th Revolutionary War commemoration. Jean has reached out to a few places that do this work. Mike suggested a bid go out and Jean should see if RFP's are available from other cemeteries for that type of work.

- 9. Name change to deed for AA-672 was unanimously voted no.
- 10. Talked about a potential burial in the public lot that is no longer needed.
- 11. St. Camillus has their extra lot space across from the church up for sale. Michele has spoken to the Town Manager and to Mike about would any acquisition be possible? It is thought that the price that will be asked for can never be recovered in the sale of graves. Activity will be monitored for now. Jean heard the church is in the second round of RFPs.

Meeting adjourned at 10:05am Next meeting scheduled will be April 10, 2024

Respectfully submitted Jean Smith

Board of Cemetery Commissioners Michele A. Hassler, Chairperson William F. McCarthy Brian L. Hasbrouck